

WHO'S GOT THE MONEY

In Four Staples Alone the Farmers of Western Canada Produced 408 Million Dollars in 1915.

The Calgary (Alberta) printers have a house organ, called "The Magnet," and in its columns a few weeks ago appeared an article entitled "Who's Got the money?" It was cleverly written, and but for its length, the writer would have been pleased to have copied the article in its entirety. The purpose for which this article is published, however, that of letting the readers of the paper know of the great progress that is being made in agriculture in Western Canada, will be served by copying a portion of the article. Many of the readers of this paper doubtless have friends in one of the three provinces—Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta, and they will be interested in feeling that their friends are enjoying a portion of the wealth that has come to Western Canada farmers as a result of careful tilling of a soil prodigal in everything that goes to make good grain, cattle, horses, hogs and sheep.

Reproducing from the article: The Government does not produce money. It can stamp "One Dollar" on a slip of white paper, and we accept it at a dollar's worth, but neither the paper nor the printing are worth a copper. What gives it value is the promise of the people of Canada which stands behind the printed slip, and our faith in that promise.

Now do you know who's got the money?

Let us put it into figures. The farmers of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba last year raised 342,948,000 bushels of wheat. If we take for an average 55 cents a bushel in Manitoba, 81 cents in Saskatchewan, and 79 cents in Alberta the season's wheat crop was worth \$280,629,000. Add to this an oat crop of 334,840,000 bushels, worth \$65,457,000; a barley crop of 35,254,200 bushels, worth \$15,871,000, and a flax crop of 10,559,000 bushels worth \$15,843,000, and you find that on these four staples alone the farmers of Western Canada produced a wealth of \$407,800,000.

Please note that this wealth is in money. It is not in real estate at inflated values, industrial stocks that are half water and the rest air, fictitious goodwills or unsaleable merchandise. It is in hard cash, or—which is better—hard wheat.

These figures are only for the staple grain productions. They do not include the millions of dollars represented by the live stock and dairy industries, or the additional millions included in the root, fruit, and garden crops. The creameries of Saskatchewan, for instance produced more buttermilk and ice cream last year than their total production amounted to six years ago. The milk, butter, and cheese production of Alberta for 1915 was valued at over eleven million dollars. The potato crop of the three provinces was worth five millions and a half. Corn and alfalfa—comparatively new crops, charged with tremendous possibilities—amounted to over a round million. Even honey—you didn't know we raised honey (the bee kind) in this country, did you? Manitoba produced 105,000 pounds in 1915, and there isn't a bee in the province that doesn't swear he's a better honey-sorter than anything in California or Washington.

That's where the money is; in the jeans of our honest friend the farmer, who was too slow to get into the cities when the rest of us saw short-cuts to wealth; who hadn't imagination enough to think a man can make money without earning it, and who was too dull to know that hard work is foolish. Well, he has the laugh now. Likewise the money.—Advertisement.

No Complaints. Secretary Daniels was talking about the splendid morale of the American navy.

"Take the matter of work," he said. "The men make like Trojans. No where does such an endless round of work go on as in our navy."

"I asked a boy apprentice once if he had any complaints to make."

"No, sir," the boy answered, looking up from his work. "No, sir; no complaints. Only it's like this, sir—they keep on making you keep on."

SWAMP-ROOT STOPS SERIOUS BACKACHE

When your back aches, and your bladder and kidneys need to be disordered, remember it is needless to suffer—go to your nearest drug store and get a bottle of Dr. Kilmor's Swamp-Root. It is a physician's prescription for disease of the kidneys and bladder.

It has stood the test of years and has a reputation for quickly and effectively giving results in thousands of cases.

This prescription was used by Dr. Kilmor in his private practice and was so very effective that it has been placed on sale everywhere. Get a bottle, 50c and \$1.00, at your nearest druggist.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmor & Co., Birmingham, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Adv.

His Inheritance. Askitt—Did young Dodge inherit anything from his father?

Nott—Yes, I believe he inherited the old man's desire to avoid work.

Where Pecos Has Its Home. Knicker—Why do you take a photograph when you go fishing?

Bocker—Because I can keep it from talking.

THIS IS THE AGE OF YOUTH. You will not see your younger if you define your age as gray hairs by using "La Creole Hair Dressing"—Adv.

Believe's the heart, not in the brain.

HANLY NOMINEE OF DRY COVENTION

LANDRETH OF TENNESSEE IS NAMED FOR VICE PRESIDENT BY PROHIBITIONISTS.

CLOSED UP WITH DOXOLOGY

Platform Adopted as Recommended by Committee, Except Initiative, Referendum and Recall Planks Are Inserted.

St. Paul, Minn.—J. Frank Hanly, former governor of Indiana, was nominated for president of the United States on the Prohibition ticket and Rev. Ira D. Landreth of Nashville, Tenn., was named for the vice presidency at the concluding session of the party's national convention.

Mr. Hanly's nomination came on the first ballot and followed a number of hurried conferences between advocates of the candidacy of William Sulzer, former governor of New York, and several brief demonstrations in the latter's behalf, which, however, were offset by the outburst of enthusiasm that followed every mention of Hanly's name.

The vote for Hanly was decisive. He received 440 votes as against 131 for Sulzer. Finley C. Hendrickson of Cumberland, Md., received 51 votes; James Gilbert Mason of New Jersey, 10; W. P. F. Ferguson of Pennsylvania, 4; Sumner W. Haynes of Indiana, 2, and Henry Ford of Detroit 1.

A motion to make Mr. Hanly's nomination unanimous was defeated when objections were offered by Eugene W. Chaffin of Arizona, Charles J. Hall of California and a score of other delegates.

Dr. Landreth was nominated unanimously by a rising vote after all other candidates for the vice presidency, among them Mr. Hendrickson, had withdrawn.

After the nomination of Dr. Landreth the assembly arose, sang the doxology and ended a six-hour session marking the close of the three-day convention.

The party platform, with only one change in the draft presented by the resolutions committee—the insertion of a plan declaring in favor of the initiative, referendum and recall—was adopted early in the session.

ELLIS ISLAND INVESTIGATION

Changes Suggested But No Evidence Is Found of Immorality as Alleged by Statesman.

New York, N. Y.—Several changes in administrative policy designed to improve conditions at the immigration station on Ellis Island were put into effect by John B. Densmore, acting secretary of labor, after an inspection that he made with Representative Isaac Seigel, a member of the committee on immigration of the house of representatives. The investigation resulted from criticism made by Representative William S. Bennett against Commissioner of Immigration Frederick C. Howe. Bennett alleged that immoral conditions prevailed at Ellis Island.

"We found no actual grounds for charges of immorality," said Representative Seigel. "As to the charge that immoral women were permitted to enter the country under bond, the responsibility for that can not be put up to Commissioner Howe. If there has been any such action the blame attaches to Washington authorities."

HIBERNIANS LAUD GERMANY

Declare Confidence That It Will Crush England and Set Old Ireland Free.

Boston, Mass.—The Ancient Order of Hibernians adopted resolutions denouncing "the military murder of leaders of the Irish republic" and extending congratulations to the German-American Alliance "upon the conquest won by the Fatherland." The resolutions were adopted unanimously and without discussion.

"We assure them (members of the alliance) of our unshaken confidence that the German empire will crush England and aid in the liberation of Ireland and be a real defender of small nations."

Missing Man's Body Found.

Shelbyville, Mich.—The body of Charles Marcell of New York, who, with James H. Hurty, also of New York, left here in a canoe early in June for Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., was found on the shore of Albany island, near here. Hurty's body was recovered last week.

Border Motor Cycle Wireless. San Antonio—Field communication on the border is to be facilitated by the adoption of motor cycle for the transportation of wireless sets and the utilization of the motor for the operation of the dynamo.

Girl Attends School 3,708 Days. Rotherham, England—Florie Tyler has completed her school attendance here for a period extending over eight and one-half years with a record of not having missed a single day. The total of her days in school was 3,708.

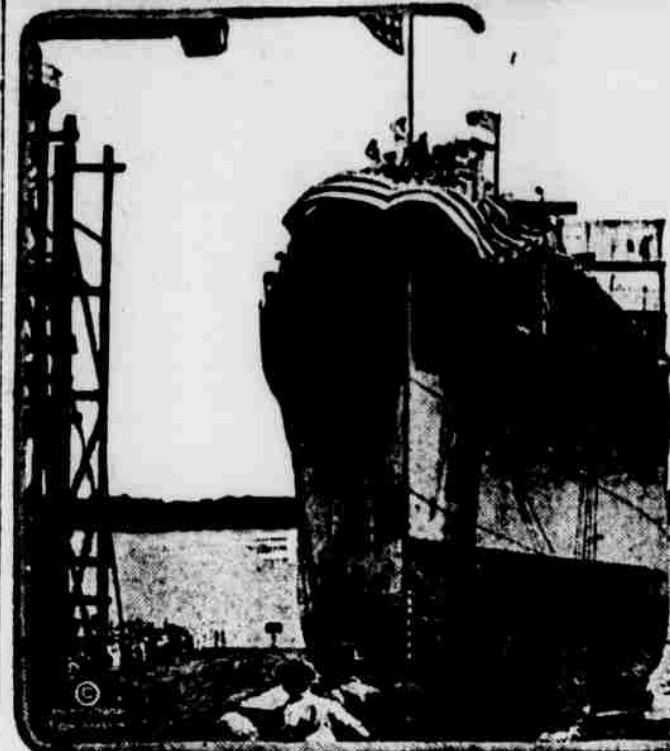
Five Policemen Are Injured. Kansas City—Five policemen, answering a hurry call in Kansas City, Kan., were injured, two of them seriously, it is believed, when a front spring of their automobile, running at high speed, collapsed.

Man Killed in Labor Row. Memphis, Tenn.—One man was killed, one probably fatally stabbed and several hurt in a fight between union sympathizers and employees of the Memphis Street Railway Company. Five men were arrested.

Three Years for Auto Fraud. Kansas City—Carl G. Morse and J. E. Barnes pleaded guilty before Judge Lathrop in the criminal court to obtaining a motor car under false pretenses. They were sent up for three years each.

Two Swedish Aviators Killed. Stockholm—Two Swedish flight lieutenants, Mannstrom and Krues, were killed. Their machine fell from a height of 300 feet.

TRANSPORT HENDERSON LAUNCHED



The transport Henderson sliding down the ways at the League Island navy yard. The Henderson is 483 feet long, 61 feet wide, draft 29 feet. She is of 10,000 tons capacity, with 14 knots speed.

CURE FOR INFANT DISEASE PEACE CAMPAIGN IS BEGUN

SPINAL INJECTIONS EFFECTIVE IN 41 CASES. HIGH GRADE GERMANS SEEK HONORABLE CONCLUSION.

New Cases Show Decrease, But Deaths From Scourge Continue to Make Gains.

New York—What everyone concerned in the fight on the infantile paralysis epidemic concedes to be the best news received by the board of health since the outbreak of the disease was contained in a report made by Dr. Edward J. Berninghaus, executive surgeon of the New York Throat, Nose and Lung hospital, where the adenalin treatment advocated by Dr. J. S. Molizer of the Rockefeller Institute, has been tried consistently on all patients for the last week.

Dr. Berninghaus says that the forty-one patients under his observation are improving, some in a remarkable degree, even to the disappearance of the paralysis.

Beginning with an injection of one-fifth of a cubic centimeter, the injections were cautiously increased to two cubic centimeters with no bad results and in many cases with the most remarkable improvement in all the symptoms and the partial or complete disappearance of the paralysis.

A further decrease in the number of new cases and a slight increase in the number of deaths was shown in the health department's bulletin. During the last 24 hours 32 children died of the disease in the greater city and 80 new cases were reported. The total deaths to date are 519 and total cases 3,526. There are 1,260 cases under treatment in hospitals.

WANT COMPLETE PROHIBITION

British Make Demand on Parliament—Alcohol Consumption Hampers War Work.

London, England—There is accumulating evidence that the consumption of alcohol, despite the efforts of the board of liquor control, has diminished but little, if at all, and that it is still seriously affecting national efficiency, both in war work and other vital industries.

As a result there has been formed the "Strength of Britain" movement, which was organized by business men who heretofore have not been connected with temperance work. They will soon present to parliament a memorial demanding a suspension of the liquor traffic during the war on the ground of national duty to Great Britain's allies, to the army and the fleet and to conserving the strength of the nation for present dangers and future needs.

The signatories to the memorial include leading citizens in all parts of the country.

CANADIAN MINISTER CLEARED

Sir Sam Hughes Acquitted of Charges of Paying Out Undue Profits to Americans.

OTTAWA, Canada—Sir Sam Hughes, minister of militia, is held by the Meredith-Duff Royal Commission innocent of responsibility for the negotiation of government fuse contracts with American munitions manufacturers by which they were alleged to have unduly profited.

B. F. Youkam, former chairman of the board of the Prince Edward Island, a member of the American company that handled the Canadian contract and testified at the hearing.

Three Drowned in Ohio River. Louisville, Ky.—Two young women and one man were drowned in the Ohio river and a child struck by lightening and killed near here during a local storm.

Mass Mexicans Imported. Birmingham, Ill.—The Chicago & Alton railroad is importing gangs of Mexicans for work upon the roadbed. Large numbers of Mexicans are making their way across the border and are being shipped north by agents for the railroad.

200 Reported Dead in Monsoon. London—Two hundred fishermen are believed to have lost their lives in a monsoon off the coast of Colombo, Ceylon, according to a dispatch received by the Exchange Telegraph Company.

Shoots Four and Cremates Self. Newark, N. J.—Four passers-by in the street opposite his locksmith shop were shot and seriously wounded here recently by Salvatore Castronovo, 53 years old, an inventor, who had denied had gone insane, before he set fire to his clothing and burned to death.

Heard His Hymn for First Time. London—Rudyard Kipling, who attended the memorial service to Lord Kitchener at Westminster Abbey, where his "Recessional" hymn was one of the most impressive numbers, stated afterward that it was the first time he had heard it sung.

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